



Poultry Programs

United States
Department of
Agriculture

Agricultural
Marketing Service

1400 Independence
Avenue SW

Washington, DC
20250-0260

Date Issued: Nov. 30, 2004

FROZEN CHICKEN NUGGETS AND CHICKEN PATTIES, INVITATION NO. 2, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-292

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell frozen cooked chicken nuggets and chicken patties as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, central time, Monday, Dec. 6. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, Dec. 10. Deliveries will be made in accordance with the notice-to-deliver.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-292, the Commodity Specification for Chicken Nuggets and Chicken Patties dated September 2004, Appendix-1, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20050-0260, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-292, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Chicken Nuggets (222330) - Frozen cooked breaded chicken nuggets, produced from ready-to-cook chicken and chicken products (parts), or boneless parts, meat, and skin. Chicken nuggets will be packaged 5 or 10 pounds (2.27 or 4.54 kg) per plastic-film bag to a net weight of 30 pounds (13.61 kg) in each fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,300 shipping containers totaling 39,000 pounds (17,690 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT: PY292

INVITATION : 002
COMM GROUP : 22 CHICKEN, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 23 CHICKEN NUGGETS, FROZEN, SOC
PACK SIZE : 30 30 LB CTN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	DELIVERY ST DATE	MINIMUM QUANTITY	MAXIMUM QUANTITY	TRANS RESTR
001	WEST VIRGINIA CHARLESTON	WV 1/16-31/05	0	156,000	

Dennis J. Pearson
Contracting Officer

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) prohibits discrimination in all its programs and activities on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age, disability, political beliefs, sexual orientation, or marital or family status. (Not all prohibited bases apply to all programs.) Persons with disabilities who require alternative means for communication of program information (Braille, large print, audiotape, etc.) should contact USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TDD).

To file a complaint of discrimination, write USDA, Director, Office of Civil Rights, Room 326-W, Whitten Building, 14th and Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20250-9410 or call (202) 720-5964 (voice and TDD). USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.